

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Kanichi KADOTANI et al.

Serial Number: Not Yet Assigned

(PCT/JP99/00636)

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SUBSTRATE TEMPERATURE CONTROL DEVICE For:

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Director of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Prior to the calculation of the filing fees of the above application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 45, line 1, change "46" to read --44--.

## **REMARKS**

The above amendment is believed to correct a typographical error in claim 45. Early and favorable action is awaited.

In the event there are any additional fees required, please charge our Deposit Account No.

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Respectfully submitted,

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